

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ETRD, MTN

SUBJECT: COMMENT ON JULY 6 LICENSING PLURILATERAL

REFTEL : GENEVA 10445

REGARDING SWISS PROPOSAL ON AUTOMATIC IMPORT LICENSING  
(AIL) REPORTED IN REFTEL, WASHINGTON AGENCIES NOTE ITS  
SIMILARITY TO LINES 18 THROUGH 22 OF PARAGRAPH 1 OF THE  
AIL TEXT IN MTN/NTM/W/127. THE SECOND AND FOURTH SENTENCES  
OF SWISS PROPOSAL ARE ACCEPTABLE TO THE UNITED STATES AND  
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MIRROR OUR OWN POSITION. HOWEVER, THE FIRST SENTENCE IS  
UNACCEPTABLE BECAUSE THE WORD QUOTE PROMPTLY UNQUOTE DOES  
NOT CONVEY THE CONCEPT OF AUTOMATICITY IN A PRECISE WAY  
AND, IS NOT AN ACCEPTED NTB. THE THIRD SENTENCE WOULD  
ESTABLISH AN IRRELEVANT (OR WORSE) PROVISION, SINCE IMPORTS  
ARE IN NO WAY TO BE RESTRICTED BY SYSTEMS OF AUTOMATIC  
IMPORT LICENSING, REGARDLESS OF WHETHER LDCS OR DCS ARE

INVOLVED. CHRISTOPHER

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## Message Attributes

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